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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
9 AT SEATTLE

10 ACD DISTRIBUTION LLC,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 WIZARDS OF THE COAST LLC,

14 Defendant.

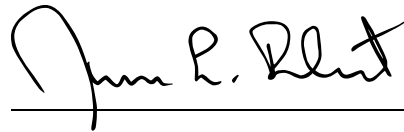
CASE NO. C18-1517JLR

ORDER STRIKING DISCOVERY  
MOTION

15 Before the court is Plaintiff ACD Distribution LLC's ("ACD") motion to compel  
16 discovery (Mot. (Dkt. # 32).) ACD filed that motion without first requesting a  
17 conference with the court. (*See generally* Dkt.) The motion therefore contravenes the  
18 court's January 16, 2019 scheduling order. (*See* Sched. Order (Dkt. # 27) at 2 (citing  
19 Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(3)(B)(v)) (directing "that before moving for an order relating to  
20 discovery, the movant must request a conference with the court by notifying the  
21 [courtroom deputy]")); *see also* Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(3)(B)(v) (permitting the court, in its  
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1 scheduling order, to “direct that before moving for an order relating to discovery, the  
2 movant must request a conference with the court”). The court therefore STRIKES  
3 ACD’s motion to compel (Dkt. # 32) without prejudice to renewing the motion in a  
4 manner that complies with the court’s scheduling order.

5 Dated this 27th day of September, 2019.

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8 JAMES L. ROBART  
9 United States District Judge  
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